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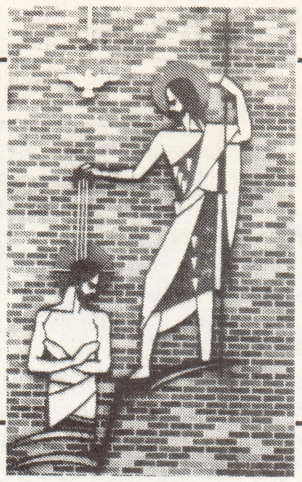


Pastoral Team Work Week

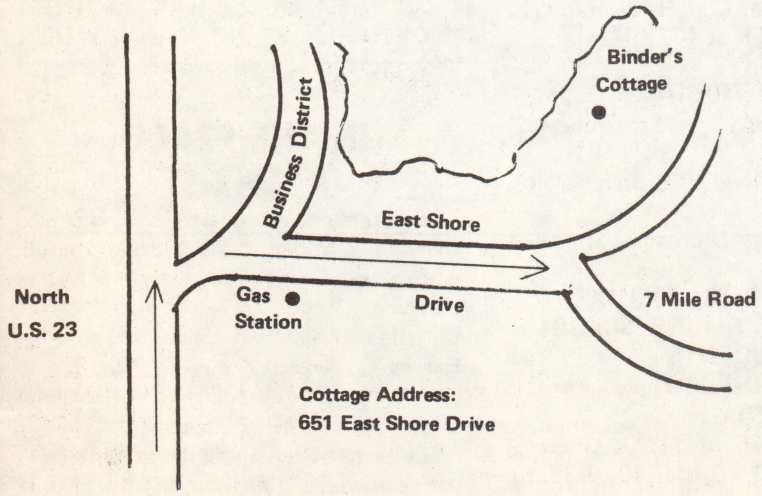
August 25 - 30

For the fourth consecutive year, the members of our parish's Pastoral Team will find themselves engaged in a week long session of prayer, planning, and programming beginning this Sunday. The Pastoral Team includes Sr. Carol Denise, Sr. Anne Heath, Sr. Sheila Powers, Sr. Gail Singel and Fr. Harvey. As was previously announced, Sister Gail Singel is a new member of our parish team, replacing Sister Mary O'Connell who is pursuing graduate studies at Catholic University of America.

While some time will be devoted to the internal nature and function of our pastoral team, many hours of the week will be spent in consultation with our Parish Council and the four working Commissions of the Council.

Members of the Parish Council have been invited to meet in special session this Sunday evening to provide input in establishing general parish goals for the coming year. Following the Sunday evening session with the Council, the members of the Worship Commission will meet with the Pastoral Team on Monday evening, August 26. The Service Commission has been invited to come together on Tuesday evening, August 27. On Wednesday evening, the Administration Commission will meet to conduct monthly business as well as to make special plans for the year to come. The Education Commission will discuss its hopes and objectives on Thursday evening, August 29th. All meetings with the Commissions will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The special meeting of the Council on Sunday evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. All sessions will take place at the Binder's Cottage located on the eastshore of nearby Whitmore Lake. All meetings are open to all parishioners and we warmly invite you to come and share ideas, criticisms and prayer with us. We are grateful to all of you who took the time in year's past to share with us and allow the members of your parish team to discuss our hopes and frustrations with you. Through generosity of the Binders, Dick and Doreen and their mothers, Mrs. Ivah Binder, whose cottage becomes our home, chapel and meeting place for one week, we are specially thankful.



NEEDED

Part-time Secretary for
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CENTER
Contact Sr. Anne Heath
483-3360
Hours will be 9:30 - 2:00
Monday through Thursday

PLEASE NOTE

NO MASS OR DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION THIS WEEK ONLY DUE TO THE PASTORAL TEAM WORKSHOP

Directions to the cottage are fairly simple. We print them in hopes that you may find us. (Take U.S. 23 north to the first Whitmore Lake Exit. Go right on East Shore Drive. The cottage is located ½ mile east of 7 Mile Rd., on the north side of East Shore Drive. Cottage number is 651 East Shore Drive.)

As noted in the Mass schedule, due to our absence this coming week, there will be NO morning Masses NOR Distribution of Holy Communion Monday through Friday of this week.

In the event of emergency, Fr. Bednarski has offered his assistance (483-2152) or you may call the Chapel (482-1400). Fr. Harvey will return in event of a funeral or other serious emergency.

Please remember all of us in your prayers during this coming week. With your help and faithful support we will be able to begin a very exciting year here at St. John's.

Fr. Harvey

MASS SCHEDULE

.....Because of the Pastoral Team Workshop there will be no Mass offered at St. John's or at Parkview Nursing Home Monday through Friday August 26th through the 30th nor will the Distribution of Holy Communion take place.

.....The following intentions will be remembered during Masses held at the site of the Workshop:

..... Helen Webber, req. by her daughter and grandchildren

..... William Wickering, req. by Marge Walters & Family

..... Edward Theisen, req. by Walter Theisen

..... Riley Aquillo, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Paul Carroll

SATURDAY, August 31st

9:00 a.m. - No Mass or Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. - George J. Max, req. by Mrs. George J. Max

SUNDAY, September 1st

7:00 a.m. - George Williams, req. by Marie Daly

9:00 a.m. - Mrs. Frances Hutting, req. by Mrs. George J. Max

11:00 a.m. - James M. Brown, req. by Mrs. J. M. Brown

12:30 p.m. - Intention of the Parishioners

ALTAR BOY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, August 31st

5:00 p.m. Greg Gillman & Jerry Moses

SUNDAY, September 1st

7:00 a.m. Mark Courtois & David Dupuis

9:00 a.m. Rob & Jim Eberts

11:00 a.m. Matt Chiodini & Larry Dupuis

12:30 p.m. Frank Williams & Peter Burgard

WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

Rick & Jeff Steeby

COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, August 31st

5:00 p.m. . . . . Pete Parin

SUNDAY, September 1st

7:00 a.m. . . . . Phil Stokes

9:00 a.m. . . . . Dave Wheeler

11:00 a.m. . . . . John White

12:30 p.m. . . . . John Thomas

LECTOR SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, August 31st

5:00 p.m. . . . . Ken Macek

SUNDAY, September 1st

7:00 a.m. . . . . Vera Clyne

9:00 a.m. . . . . Mary Wheeler

11:000 a.m. . . . . Chris White

12:30 p.m. . . . . Nan O'Hara

LAY DISTRIBUTORS

SATURDAY, August 31st

5:00 p.m. . . . . E. Look

SUNDAY, September 1st

9:00 a.m. . . . . R. Wagner

11:00 a.m. . . . . G. Butman

12:30 p.m. . . . . J. Baker

BABYSITTING SCHEDULE

September 1st

LABOR DAY WEEKEND

NO BABYSITTING THIS WEEKEND ONLY.

WEDDING BANNS

II Frank Dufek and Linda Eddington

I Kirk Profit and Sharon Langen

I R. Joseph DeVooght and Nancy G. Douglas

FINANCIAL BAROMETER

August 18th

Sunday Offertory $2,097.88

Hall Renovation 49.00

Holy Father's Coll. (Additional) 141.00

Holy Day - Aug. 15 . . . . . 952.50

SINGLE CATHOLIC ADULTS

Single catholic adults are invited to attend the August 31st dance at the German Park on Pontiac Trail. On Friday, September 6th at 8:00 p.m. we'll hold our first fall meeting at St. John's in Ypsilanti in the basement. Plan to attend and to contribute some ideas for new activities. On the 14th, we'll have dinner and dancing at the Old Heidelburg. For information call Sue at 482-1942.

IN MEMORIAM

Benjamin Laurain - September 2, 1973.

Bernard H. Flood - September 13, 1974.

Ruth Chadwick - September 20, 1974

ATTENTION ST. THOMAS ELEMENTARY & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Opening Days & Times

Tuesday, August 27th:

Grades 1-6 8:15 to 11:20, Grade 9 8:15 to 10:00, Grade 10 9:30 to 11:20.

Wednesday, August 28th:

Grades K, 7, 8 8:15 to 11:20, Grade 11 8:15 to 10:00, Grade 12 9:30 to 11:20

Thursday, August 29th:

All students - 8:15 to 11:20

PARISH NUPTIALS

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Miller

On Saturday noon, August 17, 1974, Charles W. Miller of 48641 Denton Rd., and Susan Ann Pulsipher of Ann Arbor exchanged their solemn vows of marriage during a Nuptial Mass celebrated by Fr. Harvey.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of Manistee; the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thorpe of Battle Creek. William Ryan and Carolyn Ohst, both of Ann Arbor, were the main attendants.

Music for the celebration was provided by Mr. Melvin Light, organist, Mrs. Carole Zakrzewski, guitarist, and Mrs. Laurie Wawrzaszek, soloist and cantor. Mr. Duane Pennebaker of Plymouth served as lector.

Mr. & Mrs. Michael A. Starwas

Members of two longtime families in this parish were united in the Sacrament of Marriage on Saturday evening, August 17, 1974.

Michael A. Starwas, son of Mr. Jack Starwas and the late Myrtyle Starwas, and Jeane Sinkule, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sinkule, spoke their life-vows of marriage before Fr. Harvey and their two attendants, F. Jerome Hinkle and Jacqueline Sinkule, both of Ann Arbor. Mr. Timothy Cooch served as lector & soloist; Miss Marie Stachlewitz was the organist.

"WHAT GOD HAS JOINED TOGETHER, LET NO MAN DIVIDE". Congratulations, newly-weds!

IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Our prayerful sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. Louis Slowik, age 68, who died suddenly early Saturday morning, August 17, 1974. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated by Fr. Harvey on Tuesday, August 20, 1974 in our church. Burial followed in St. John Cemetery.

Louis has been a longtime and faithful parishioner in this community. He is survived by his wife, Mary Jean, one

daughter, Mrs. William (Lorraine) Wilber of Ann Arbor, two sons, U.S.A.F. Capt. Richard of Virginia, and U.S.A.F. M-S Ronald of England, in addition to two sisters, grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

May the trust which Louis evidenced in his life among us now be fulfilled in the presence of the Risen Lord.

NEW LIFE IN CHRIST

ANDREW AUBREY FRENCH, son of Aubrey W. and Sandra (Royer) French, 1334 Chestnut Dr., was welcomed into our community of faith through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism administered by Fr. Harvey on Sunday, August 18, 1974. Daniel Royer and Linda French are Andrew's godparentss.

WEDDING BANNS

Nancy Douglas and Joe DeVooght

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

We would like to invite you to our first Marriage Encounter, Oct. 4-6, to be held at Siena Heights in Adrian.

It is a 2-day weekend, Friday Eve to Sunday Eve and the total cost (no inflation yet) is $40.00 a couple. It is a unique weekend in that husband and wife really give the encounter to each other. The team is there just to set the mood and they do this by sharing some of their own experiences.

For more information about M.E. or any aspect of the weekend call Del and Dom Bitonde, 971-4637.

PARISH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, August 25th
- 9:00 a.m. Babysitting in Room 5 of the Parish Center
- 7:00 p.m. Parish Council at Binder Cottage

MONDAY, August 26th
- 7:00 p.m. Scouts in the Church Hall
- 7:30 p.m. Worship Commission at the Binder Cottage

TUESDAY, August 27th
- 7:30 p.m. Liturgy Planning Commission in the Rectory
- 7:30 p.m. Service Commission at the Binder Cottage

WEDNESDAY, August 28th
- 7:00 Folk Choir
- 7:30 Bingo (doors open at 6:30)
- 7:30 Administration Commission at the Binder Cottage

THURSDAY, August 29th
- 7:30 p.m. Education Commission at the Binder Cottage

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PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. David W. Harvey - Pastor
Sr. Anne Heath - Religious Education Coordinator
Sr. Sheila Powers - Religious Education
Sr. Gail Singel - Worship Commission Coordinator, Rel. Ed.
Sr. Carol Denise Koenig - Service Commission Coordinator

SPECIAL STAFF ASSISTANTS

Sr. Theresa White - Special Education
Mrs. Phyllis Gracie - Editor

PHONES

Rectory 483-3360
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Religious Ed. Center 483-6378

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Education: Miss Doreen Binder 483-3932
Service: Mrs. Natalie Bowyer 482-4742
Worship: Miss Vera Clyne 483-4655

LITURGY

SATURDAY EVENING: ..... 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: ..... 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
HOLYDAY: ..... 7:00 & 9:00 a.m., 4:00, 6:00 & 8:00 p.m.
DAILY: ..... 7:00 a.m. Monday through Friday
... 2:30 p.m. Parkview Home Monday
. 9:00 a.m. Wednesday & 9:00 a.m. Saturday

BAPTISMS:

12:30 Mass on second Sunday of each month. Please make arrangements at the rectory office for Parent/Godparent classes.

WEDDINGS:

Notify rectory 2 to 3 months in advance for adequate preparation.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday ..... 3:30 - 4:30 and 8:00 p.m. or
... anytime by appointment.
Communal Penance ..... as announced.
MARIAN DEVOTIONS ..... Wednesday 6:45 p.m.
REGISTRATION: ..... New parishioner - please register at the rectory. Kindly notify us if moving from the parish.
COMMUNION CALLS: ..... The sick and shut-ins who wish to have Communion brought to them may call the rectory or convent and request it.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

PRE—SCHOOL: ..... 9:00 a.m. Sunday
ELEMENTARY: ..... Released Time Monday thru Wednesday and Wednesday 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
JUNIOR HIGH: ..... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
SENIOR HIGH: ..... Released Time
SPECIAL EDUCATION: ..... Arrangements made.
ADULT: ..... as announced

PARISH SERVICES

BABYSITTING: ..... 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Sunday
COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS: ..... after 9 and 11 Masses
... October thry May
PARISH DINNERS: ..... First Sundays October thru May
BAKE SALES: ..... After all Masses second Sundays October thru May
BINGO: ..... Wednesday 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. - Open 6:30

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Members of the parish team would be happy to join you and your family at dinner. Please feel free to extend your invitation directly to the person you would like to invite.

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